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Sir:

In response to the Notice of Allowance and Issue Fee(s) Due mailed by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on August 4, 2010, and prior to the payment of the Issue Fee, the Examiner is respectfully requested to enter the following amendment.

*Amendments to the Claims* begin on page 2 of this paper.

*Remarks* begin on page 11 of this paper.